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SUBJECT: FISHERIES: VIOLATION OF U.S. CONTIGUOUS FISHERIES
ZONE

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1. ON JULY 17 EMBOFF RECEIVED DELEGATION FROM KOREA DEEP SEA FISHERIES ASSOCIATION CONCERNING RECENT APPREHENSION OF KOREAN VESSEL DONG BANG 71 ON CHARGE OF VIOLATION OF U.S. CONTINUOUS FISHERIES ZONE. DELEGATION PRESENTED LETTER WHICH IS SUMMARIZED BELOW (FULL TEXT BEING POUCHED):

A. ON BEHALF ALL KOREAN FISHERMEN, DELEGATION WISHES EXPRESS REGRET TO USG FOR QTE UNEXPECTED ACCIDENT UNQTE INVOLVING DONG BANG 71.

B. HENCEFORTH ASSOCIATION WILL EMPHASIZE GUIDANCE AND REINSTRUCTION TO OFFICERS AND CREWS OF KOREAN DEESEA FLEET TO AVOID FURTHER SUCH ACCIDENTS CAUSED BY CARELESSNESS.

C. ASSOCIATION WILL OBSERVE U.S.-ROK FISHERIES AGREEMENTS AND STRENGTHEN SELF-REGULATION OF NORTH PACIFIC FISHING OPERATIONS.

D. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS GENEROSITY AND COOPERATION ON PART OF
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USG IN CONNECTION WITH RELEASE OF DONG BANG 71.

2. EMBOFF TOOK OPPORTUNITY TO READ TO KIM, CHONG SIK OF
DONG BANG OCEAN FISHERIES COMPANY, WHO WAS PART OF DELEGATION,
SECOND PARA REF (B) WHICH DETAILED ILLUSTRATIVE RECENT PENALTIES
IN INCIDENTS SIMILAR TO THAT INVOLVING DONG BANG 71. KIM EXPRESSED
SURPRISE AT SIZE OF FINES, AND, PREDICTABLY, INDICATED
HIS COMPANY WOULD BE FINANCIALLY UNABLE TO PAY SUCH A FINE, AND
WOULD BE FORCED OUT OF BUSINESS.
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